

REMARKS

By this Amendment, Claims 1-6, and 15-19 have been amended, Claims 7-14 and 20 have been deleted, without prejudice, and new Claims 21-24 have been added. Each of the amended Claims and newly added Claims finds full support in the Specification as originally filed for the recitations set forth therein.

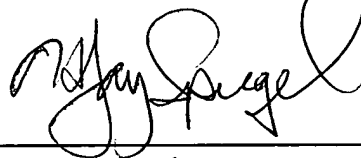
In the outstanding Office Action, the Examiner required restriction between Group I drawn to a cleaning device, and Group II drawn to a process for producing a cleaning device. Additionally, an Election was required if the Group I invention is elected between four Species, the Species of Figures 5-6; Figure 7; Figure 8; and Figure 9.

By this Election, Applicant elects the Group I invention, and the Species of Figure 8. Claims 1-6, 15-18 and 23-24 are readable on the elected invention and Species.

An early Office Action on the merits is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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